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OVERSEA TRADE

SOUTH AUSTRALIA

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This bulletin shows direct trade between overseas countries and South Australia. INTERSTATE TRADE AND OVERSEA TRADE VIA OTHER STATES IS EXCLUDED. The figures are preliminary and subject to revision.

Because of the wide variety of imports they have in many cases been grouped under headings indicative of main items in the group, e.g. apparel and attire, this makes it impracticable to publish a table of quantities as there is often no appropriate single unit of quantity. For similar reasons the first table excludes a number of export items.

VALUE of exports is expressed \$A f.o.b. or its equivalent at port of shipment; value of imports is "transaction value" \$A f.o.b. or "domestic value" \$A f.o.b. at port of shipment, whichever is the higher.

The values of export items include the values of outside packages (containers and crates). For imports the value of outside packages is recorded as a separate item.

All values in this issue are expressed in decimal currency (\$2=£1). Any discrepancies between totals and sums of components are due to rounding.

TABLE 1 - QUANTITIES OF PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES EXPORTED : SOUTH AUSTRALIA

Principal Commodities	Unit	April 1965	April 1966	Ten months ended 30th April	
				1965	1966
<u>Foodstuffs, alcoholic liquors, tobacco</u>					
Butter	'000 lb.	-	-	385	591
Cheese	'000 lb.	1,300	529	17,225	17,005
Flour (incl. semolina)	ton	3,294	7,129	70,577	54,411
Fruit, Dried - Currants	'000 lb.	579	16	5,569	4,715
Raisins	'000 lb.	811	284	16,856	20,488
Other	'000 lb.	225	286	3,389	5,148
Fresh - Apples	case	91,130	26,651	123,276	68,073
Preserved and pulped	'000 lb.	1,666	4,798	22,837	38,233
Grain - Barley	'000 bush.	3,984	581	12,254	5,013
Bran and pollard	'000 bush.	63	-	960	51
Oats	'000 bush.	93	8	1,006	191
Wheat	'000 bush.	6,479	1,866	23,609	26,629
Meat - Beef	'000 lb.	120	996	4,553	5,176
Lamb	'000 lb.	-	199	10,522	7,108
Peas (incl. split peas)	cental	6,336	5,582	72,854	61,221
Spirituous liquors	pf gal.	17,262	27,308	80,452	95,598
Wine	'000 gal.	97	122	1,455	1,431
<u>Animal and vegetable substances</u> (not foodstuffs)					
Tallow	cwt	17,780	11,303	143,821	111,274
Wool - Greasy	'000 lb.	11,865	12,242	144,489	154,469
Other	'000 lb.	1,036	552	9,703	10,451
<u>Minerals, metals & metal manufactures</u>					
Minerals - Gypsum	'000 cwt	311	122	2,774	2,622
Concentrates and ores -					
Copper	'000 cwt	103	-	602	363
Lead and silver-lead	'000 cwt	109	244	947	1,506
Zinc	'000 cwt	132	344	2,988	3,335
Metals & metal manufactures -					
Iron and steel scrap	'000 cwt	-	1	1,419	418
Lead (pig)	'000 cwt	208	118	2,399	2,570

- Nil or less than half final digit.

TABLE 2 - VALUE OF PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES EXPORTED : SOUTH AUSTRALIA

Principal Commodities	April	April	Ten months ended 30th April	
	1965	1966	1965	1966
	\$'000			
<u>Foodstuffs, alcoholic liquors, tobacco</u>				
Butter	-	-	117	167
Cheese	260	102	3,423	3,274
Fish (incl. crayfish)	272	605	678	2,008
Flour (incl. semolina)	212	449	4,678	3,384
Fruit, Dried - Currants	72	3	736	648
Raisins	111	41	2,434	3,056
Other	57	83	910	1,432
Fresh - Apples	421	64	517	177
Other	-	8	587	777
Juices and syrups	2	6	347	40
Preserved and pulped	199	580	2,712	4,432
Grain - Barley	4,461	639	13,614	5,687
Bran and pollard	26	-	336	20
Oats	75	9	768	177
Wheat	8,947	2,754	34,381	38,078
Honey	9	1	81	122
Meat - Beef	36	370	1,256	1,581
Lamb	-	68	1,800	1,277
Other	64	347	1,394	2,058
Peas (incl. split peas)	36	38	334	334
Spirituous liquors	54	90	324	389
Wine	161	203	2,483	2,303
<u>Animal and vegetable substances</u> (not foodstuffs)				
Hides and skins	321	603	7,080	7,109
Tallow	157	89	1,130	952
Wool - Greasy	5,392	6,857	74,580	75,671
Other	700	447	7,788	7,786
<u>Minerals, metals, & metal manufactures</u>				
Minerals -				
Gypsum	116	38	744	634
Concentrates and ores -				
Copper	846	-	4,933	3,582
Lead and silver-lead	1,144	2,162	9,220	13,556
Zinc	438	1,152	11,129	11,084
Metals and metal manufactures -				
Iron and steel scrap	-	2	1,909	692
Lead (pig)	3,327	1,483	33,144	33,028
Machinery and vehicles	1,328	533	10,980	10,852
Other metals & metal manufactures	315	367	6,242	6,826
<u>Miscellaneous</u>				
Paints, drugs, chemicals, plastics	43	18	476	415
Salt	14	14	511	439
All other	303	653	5,314	6,489
TOTAL EXPORTS	29,920	20,877	249,090	250,535

- Nil or less than \$500

TABLE 3 - VALUE OF PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES IMPORTED : SOUTH AUSTRALIA

Principal Commodities	April 1965	April 1966	Ten Months ended 30th April	
			1965	1966
			\$'000	
<u>Food and live animals</u>				
Fish and fish preparations	121	108	1,356	1,451
Fruit and vegetables	36	37	409	528
Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices	79	123	1,182	1,227
Other	57	84	625	686
<u>Beverages and tobacco</u>				
Beverages	15	9	197	258
Tobacco and tobacco manufactures	32	28	350	346
<u>Crude materials, inedible</u>				
Crude rubber	88	125	775	966
Wood, timber and cork	574	356	6,085	5,156
Pulp and waste paper	23	141	838	756
Textile fibres and waste	229	245	3,748	1,905
Crude fertilizers and crude minerals	388	285	3,272	3,390
Other	44	31	719	830
<u>Mineral fuels, lubricants</u>				
Petroleum and petroleum products	1,033	2,273	16,431	19,956
Other	271	1	275	205
<u>Animal and vegetable oils and fats</u>				
Fixed vegetable oils and fats	54	76	461	532
Other	7	-	92	25
<u>Chemicals</u>				
Chemical elements and compounds	92	93	1,395	1,925
Medicinal and pharmaceutical products	81	97	573	476
Fertilizers, manufactured	9	11	224	251
Plastic materials and artificial resins	178	167	2,262	1,946
Other	189	318	3,259	2,572
<u>Manufactured goods</u>				
Leather, leather manufactures	28	3	203	53
Rubber manufactures	193	99	1,785	1,628
Wood and cork manufactures	38	50	719	726
Paper, paperboard and manufactures	373	268	4,157	3,864
Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles	686	844	9,582	10,862
Non-metallic mineral manufactures	460	296	5,521	3,768
Iron and steel	838	443	10,004	6,890
Non-ferrous metals	140	111	1,503	790
Manufactures of metal n.e.s.	546	256	3,895	3,232
<u>Machinery and transport equipment</u>				
Machinery, other than electric	1,986	2,642	22,790	38,332
Electrical machinery and appliances	1,079	1,110	9,250	13,203
Transport equipment	4,914	1,701	35,661	25,737
<u>Miscellaneous manufactured articles</u>				
Professional, scientific and controlling instruments; photographic and optical goods; watches and clocks	186	133	2,006	2,121
Other	494	363	5,771	5,239
Commodities and transactions not classified to kind	535	455	6,741	6,143
TOTAL IMPORTS	16,096	13,383	164,117	167,973

- Nil or less than \$500

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